

Penniless Men Are Fed at the Madison
Square Garden by Salvation Army,
Gifts for Poor Children.



XMAS PARTIES IN SOCIETY'S REALM.

Children and Their Elders
Entertained in City
and Country.

A JOLLY Christmas party was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs in honor of her little son, Hermann Oelrichs, Jr. About forty of his small friends attended the affair which was given at the residence of his parents, No. 1 East Fifty-seventh street from 4 until 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Edwin Gould gave a large Christmas-tree party last evening at her residence, No. 720 Fifth avenue. It was attended by many of her friends, children and "grownups," as well.

Christmas dinner parties were given yesterday by many of the fashionable set. Among the entertainers were Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan, No. 249 Madison avenue; Samuel D. Bahecock and the Misses Ballcock, No. 636 Fifth avenue; Miss Gunn

Following the bounds, dinners at the Ardsley Casino, the Knollwood and West

chester Country clubs, and house parties were the principal features of the Christmas festivities among the colony of society folk in Westchester. The members of the Westchester Hunt Club met at

Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin, who is in Europe arranged before her departure to give a large Christmas tree for the entertainment

of children of the day nursery of New Rochelle, of which she is president. She appointed Mrs. Frederick Remington, Mrs. Rufus Zogbaum, Mrs. E. W. Kemble, Mrs. Francis Wilson and other New Rochelle

Joseph Park, the veteran member of the firm of Park & Tilford, who is a resident

of Rye-on-the-Sound, made the children of the Sunday-school of Christ Church in the village happy by having three hundred bags of fine candles distributed among them.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard King, G. C. Cla-

and Mr. Knox and Miss Knox were among those who entertained Christmas dinner parties at the Knollwood.

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GREAT FEAST OF NEWSBOYS
Philadelphia's 2,500 Filled Supper Room

of the Academy as His
Guests.

Philadelphia, Dec. 25.—The newshoy Christmas dinner in the Academy of Music to-day was an unqualified success. The fire began to form as early as 10 o'clock.

this morning, and at 1 o'clock when the doors were thrown open more than 2,500 of the newsboys of the city crowded into the hall.

After the dinner former Postmaster-General *William Brewster*, who was then

eral John Wamamaker, who, according to his custom, made one of the largest contributions for the dinner, gave the keynote in a short talk on the way to attain success in business. Mayor Ashbridge also made a short address.

Boy Ate Nuts and Choked to Death
Daniel Elfenhouse, aged seven, of No. 68 Twenty
second avenue, Paterson, who died to death by

piece of history and had no
had swallowed it.